

TOWN OF HERNDON

Enriching the Quality of Life and Promoting a Sense of Community



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GOOD NEIGHBOR AWARD PRESENTED BY THE TOWN OF HERNDON *Deadline for 2007 Award Nominations is May 21*

Herndon, VA (April 24, 2007) – The person next door who is always ready to help with neighborhood fix-it projects. The neighbor down the street who can be counted on to look after pets or keep watch on homes when owners are on vacation. Or the friend across the way who never fails to offer a smile, a wave, a hello – and a helping hand.

These are the good neighbors for whom the Town of Herndon is renowned – and these are the citizens who are celebrated as the Town presents its Good Neighbor Award.

Nominations are currently being accepted for the 2007 award; deadline for submissions is May 21, 2007.

Residents of the Town of Herndon may nominate a family member, friend or neighbor who makes noteworthy contributions toward the quality of life in their neighborhoods.

Recipients of the Good Neighbor Award must be residents of the Town of Herndon and the act(s) for which they are nominated may not have been performed as an element of paid employment. Neighborhood contributions may have occurred over the course of many years; however, judges will give particular consideration to recent good deeds.

Good Neighbor Award recipients will be recognized by the Mayor and Town Council at an upcoming public meeting and will receive a commemorative gift.

Nomination forms for the 2007 Good Neighbor Award are available on the “Cultivating Community” page of the Town’s website, www.herndon-va.gov. Forms are also available at the Herndon Municipal Center and the Neighborhood Resource Center; for more information, call 703/435-6800 X2084 or send an email to Meg Murphy, Public Information office, at meg.murphy@herndon-va.gov.

The Good Neighbor Award is produced as part of the Town of Herndon’s Cultivating Community Initiative, a program designed to encourage beautification and enrich the quality of life in the Town’s neighborhoods. All programs are developed through the input of citizen volunteers.

The Town of Herndon was incorporated by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Virginia on January 14, 1879. Located in western Fairfax County, Herndon is the 3rd largest town in the Commonwealth and is home to more than 23,000 citizens. Businesses located within the Town of Herndon, which range from high tech enterprises to entrepreneurially-owned establishments, employ approximately 23,500 people.

For more information, visit the Town’s website at www.herndon-va.gov.

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